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Re: Annual Certification for High Cost Support - Alabama CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch and Ms. Flannery,

On behalf of Public Service Cellular, Inc., pursuant to Federal Communications Commission's Rule Sections 54.313 and 54.314, I hereby certify under penalty of perjury that all high-cost support provided to Public Service Cellular, Inc. for the state of Alabama will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.¹

Evan Blum, President Public Service Cellular, Inc.

Its Authorized Representative

Date September 30, 2004

Subscribed, Sworn to and Acknowledged before me this 30th day of September, 2004.

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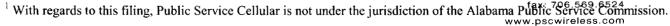
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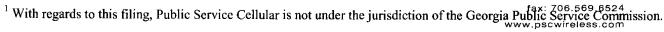


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September 30, 2004

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RE:

Supplemental Section 254(e) certification for RCC Minnesota, Inc. In the Matter of the Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter serves as the Kansas Corporation Commission's (KCC) certification to the Federal Communications Commission that today, September 30, 2004, the KCC designated RCC Minnesota, Inc. as an eligible telecommunications carrier. In addition, RCC Minnesota, Inc. has certified to the KCC that it will use its universal service support consistent with Section 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

This letter serves as a supplement to the letter sent to you by the KCC on September 29, 2004.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the KCC.

Yours truly,

Robert E. Krehbiel, Commissioner Kansas Corporation Commission

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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Office of the Secretary **Federal Communications Commission** 9300 East Hampton Drive Capitol Heights, MD 20743

Re:

CC Docket 01-338

WC Docket No. 04-313

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Dear Ms. Dortch:

Please accept for filing the original and four copies of the comments of Integra Telecom, Inc. to the Interim UNE Rules issued by the Federal Communications Commission in the above-entitled dockets.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by file-stamping the enclosed copy and returning it in the enclosed stamped self-addressed envelope.

If you require any other information or have any further questions, please call me at 503-453-8119.

Sincerely,

Gregory G. Scott

Vice President of Regulatory Affairs

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Enclosures

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS cc Janice M. Myles Wireline Competition Bureau **Competition Policy Division** 445 12th Street SW **Suite 5-C327**

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September 27, 2004

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Irene Flannery Universal Service Administrative Company 2000 L Street, NW - Suite 200 Washington, D.C. 20036 **DOCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL**

RE: In the Matter of Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45, (Minnesota PUC Docket No. P999/M-04-1092)

Dear Ms. Dortch and Ms. Flannery:

Pursuant to FCC 01-157 and 47CFR §§ 54.313 and 54.314, the FCC requires states that wish to receive Federal High-Cost support for ETCs to file certification that funds will be used for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. The Minnesota Public Utilities Commission hereby files this certification to allow all ETCs listed in the Attachment to receive Federal High-Cost support for 2005 consistent with §254(e) of the Telecommunications Act.

The MPUC has obtained affidavits provided by a corporate officer of each ETC including a sworn statement that support that will be received will only be used for the intended purposes. The MPUC also required and received additional documentation pertaining to Year 2003 Federal High-Cost support received and company operational and capital expenditures. Beyond those procedures, the MPUC has not undertaken further processes to assure that future federal support received will be used for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. Our certification is based on those affidavits and additional documentation. We believe that this complies with the FCC requirement.

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If you have questions, please call Commission staff Lillian Brion at 651-297-7864, or email at lillian.brion@state.mn.us.

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Executive Secretary

ETC Name

- 1 Ace Telephone Association
- 2 Albany Mutual Telephone Association
- 3 Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc.
- 4 Arrowhead Communications Corporation
- 5 Arvig Telephone Company
- 6 Barnesville Municipal Telephone Company
- 7 Benton Cooperative Telephone Company
- 8 Blackduck Telephone Company
- 9 Blue Earth Valley Telephone Company
- 10 Bridgewater Telephone Company
- 11 Callaway Telephone Company
- 12 Cannon Valley Telecom, Inc.
- 13 CenturyTel of Chester, Inc.
- 14 CenturyTel of Minnesota, Inc.
- 15 CenturyTel of Northwest Wisconsin, Inc.
- 16 Christensen Communications Company
- 17 Citizens Telecommunications Company of Minnesota
- 18 Clara City Telephone Company
- 19 Clements Telephone Company
- 20 Consolidated Telephone Company
- 21 Crosslake Telephone Company
- 22 Delavan Telephone Company
- 23 Dunnell Telephone Company, Inc.
- 24 Eagle Valley Telephone Company
- 25 East Otter Tail Telephone Company
- 26 Easton Telephone Company
- 27 Eckles Telephone Company
- 28 Emily Cooperative Telephone Company
- 29 Farmers Mutual Telephone Company
- 30 Federated Telephone Cooperative
- 31 Federated Utilities, Inc. f/k/a Hancock
- 32 Felton Telephone Company, Inc.
- 33 Frontier Communications of Minnesota, Inc.
- 34 Garden Valley Telephone Company
- 35 Gardonville Cooperative Telephone Association
- 36 Granada Telephone Company
- 37 Halstad Telephone Company
- 38 Harmony Telephone Company

- 39 Heartland Telecommunications Company d/b/a HickoryTech
- 40 Hills Telephone Company, Inc.
- 41 Home Telephone Company
- 42 Hutchinson Telephone Company
- 43 Integra Telecommunications of Minnesota, Inc. f/k/a
- 44 Interstate Telecommunications Cooperative
- 45 Johnson Telephone Company
- 46 Kasson & Mantorville Telephone Company
- 47 KMP Telephone Company d/b/a Mid-State
- 48 Lakedale Telephone Company
- 49 Lismore Cooperative Telephone Company
- 50 Lonsdale Telephone Company
- 51 Loretel Systems, Inc.
- 52 Lowry Telephone Company, Inc.
- 53 Mabel Cooperative Telephone Company
- 54 Manchester-Hartland Telephone Company
- 55 Mankato Citizens Telephone Company d/b/a HickoryTech
- 56 Melrose Telephone Company
- 57 Mid-Communications, Inc. d/b/a HickoryTech
- 58 Mid-State Telephone Company
- 59 Midwest Telephone Company
- 60 Midwest Wireless Communications, LLC
- 61 Minnesota Lake Telephone Company d/b/a BEVCOMM
- 62 Minnesota Valley Telephone Company
- 63 New Ulm Telecom, Inc.
- 64 Northern Telephone Company
- 65 Osakis Telephone Company
- 66 Park Region Mutual Telephone Company
- 67 Paul Bunyan Rural Telephone Cooperative
- 68 The Peoples Telephone Company of Bigfork
- 69 Pine Island Telephone Company
- 70 Polar Communications Mutual Aid Corp.
- 71 Polar Telecommuncations, Inc.
- 72 Red River Rural Telephone Association
- 73 Red River Telecom, Inc.
- 74 Redwood County Telephone Company
- 75 Rothsay Telephone Company
- 76 Runestone Telephone Association
- 77 Sacred Heart Telephone Company

Attachment

- 78 Sherburne County Rural Telephone Company
- 79 Sioux Valley Telephone Company
- 80 Sleepy Eye Telephone Company
- 81 Spring Grove Cooperative Telephone Company
- 82 Sprint Minnesota, Inc.
- 83 Starbuck Telephone Company
- 84 Twin Valley-Ulen Telephone Company
- 85 Upsala Cooperative Telephone Association
- 86 Valley Telephone Company
- 87 West Central Telephone Association
- 88 Western Telephone Company
- 89 Wikstrom Telephone Company, Inc.
- 90 Wilderness Valley Telephone Company
- 91 Winnebago Cooperative Telephone Association
- 92 Winsted Telephone Company
- 93 Winthrop Telephone Company
- 94 Wolverton Telephone Company
- 95 Woodstock Telephone Company
- 96 Zumbrota Telephone Company
- 97 WWC Holding Co. a/k/a Western Wireless
- 98 RCC Minnesota, Inc. and Wireless Alliance, LLC
- 99 Cellular Mobile Systems of St. Cloud, LLC